(SRI KADIDAL MANJAPPA.)

portions were however rejected as there was thick growth of Honge trees. No other applications for grant of land in any other S. No. except the reserved portions in S. N s. 214 and 218 aforesaid is reported to have been received.

Petitions for sites from Backward Class People of Madhugiri and Pavagada Taluks.

Q.—617. Sri C. T. HANUMANTHAIYA (Pavagada—Scheduled Castes).—

Will the Government be pleased to state : —

(*a*) the number of petitions for sites received from the backward class people residing in the hoblis of Midagesi, Kodigenahalli and Itikadibbanahalli of Madhugiri Taluk and also from the backward class people residing in the entire taluk of Pavagada since 1951 to 1953 (talukwar and hobliwar information to be furnished);

(*b*) whether it has come their notice that the Harijans of Rangasamudra village in Pavagada Taluk are requesting for sites to build their houses;

(*c*) whether there are any obstacles preventing the grant of sites;

(*d*) whether it has come to their notice that no sites have been allotted to the Harijans at Pannasandra village in Pavagada Taluk?

A.—Sri K. HANUMANTHAIYA (Chief Minister).

(*a*) *Madhugiri Taluk.*

1.	Midagesi Hobli ...	102
2.	Kodigenahalli ...	41
3.	Itikadibbanahalli ...	60

Pavagada Taluk

1.	Kasaba ...	11
2.	Nagalamadike ...	4
3.	Nidagal ...	6
4.	Hosakote ...	8

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) No

(*d*) Yes, but it is reported that action is being taken.

Rural Electrification in Pavagada Taluk.

Q.—618. Sri C. T. HANUMANTHAIYA (Pavagada—Scheduled Castes).—

Will the Government be pleased to state : —

(*a*) whether it has come to their notice that the raiyats of Konde Thimmanahalli, Jangamarahalli, Hosur, Arsikere, Mangalavada, Kothur, Channakeshavapura, Gujjanadu and Kota of Nidugal Hobli in Pavagada Taluk have deposited money with the Senior Operator in the taluk headquarters with a view to obtain electricity for their wells,

(*b*) if so, the reason for not yet sanctioning the estimate to start the work?

A.—Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA (Minister for Agriculture).—

(*a*) Yes, in some cases.

(*b*) Because of (i) sufficient number of applicants not having deposited;

(ii) present over-loaded conditions of existing transformer centres.

Applications from Depressed Class People for grant of lands.

Q.—622. Sri C. T. HANUMANTHAIYA (Pavagada—Scheduled Castes.)—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of darkhast applications received from the landless Depressed Class people of Pavagada Taluk and also from the people in the hoblis of Midigesi, Itikadibbanahalli and Kodigenahalli Hoblis of Madhugiri Taluk during 1950 to 1953;